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Bainbridge Island Harbormaster Receives Harbor Achievement Award

Bainbridge Island, Wash., (November, 2016) – The Bainbridge Island Harbormaster Tami Allen has been awarded the Harbor Achievement Award from the Pacific Coast Congress of Harbormasters and Port Manager, Inc.

This award recognizes Harbormaster Tami Allen for her dedication to the success of the Harbor Management Plan including inventorying, mapping and monitoring 530 buoys around the island, finding that 525 of them were yet to be authorized and organizing and establishing a short term anchorage area long with long term leases for insured and registered live-a-board vessels. The award also acknowledges Tami's efforts to work through impediments to achieve improvement in the areas of public education, especially around proper disposal of derelict vessels.

Chief Matthew Hamner stated that, "It was an honor to attend the ceremony. There were many people who spoke about Tami's dedication and hard work. With employees like Tami, the City of Bainbridge Island stands out. I am proud to have her on our team."

The Pacific Coast Congress of Harbormasters is an organization of commercial and recreational marina professionals promoting the development and growth of the industry and membership through communication, education and professional certification. The members of our organization hail from British Columbia, Washington, Oregon, Alaska and California.



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